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Docket No. P19529
Applicant : Kiyonori SEKIGUCHI Customer No. 7055
Examiner: Kenny LIN
Filed : May 25, 2000 Group Art Unit: 2154
For : GATEWAY APPARATUS FOR CONTROLLING
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AMENDMENT

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In response to the Official Action dated June 16, 2003, in which a three-month shortened statutory period for response was set to expire on September 16, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

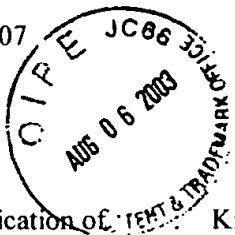
Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.

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Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-captioned application.

- ☐ Small Entity Status of this application under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a previously filed statement.
- ☐ A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.
- ☐ A Request for Extension of Time.
- ☐ No Additional Fee.

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Claims After Amendment	No. Claims Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Small Entity		Other Than A Small Entity	
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